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SUBJ: PRC APPEAL FOR CLEMENCY

FRONT PAGE STORY IN APRIL 6 DAWN REPORTS THAT THE
PRC HAS ASKED THE GOP TO GRANT CLEMENCY TO FORMER
PRIME MINISTER BHUTTO. QUOTING "UNIMPEACHABLE SOURCES",
STORY NOTED THAT CHINESE AMB WEI-CHAO HAS CALLED ON
PRESIDENT CHAUDHRY ONCE AND ON CHIEF MARTIAL LAW
ADMINISTRATOR GEN ZIA TWICE IN THE PAST TWO WEEKS. APPEAL
WAS BASED ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS BHUTTO MADE TO CLOSE
RELATIONS BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND THE PRC AND TO THE
PROMOTION OF PAKISTAN'S PRESTIGE. PRC AMBASSADOR
REPORTEDLY EMPHASIZED THAT CLEMENCY WOULD BE SEEN AS A
GESTURE OF GOOD WILL.
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